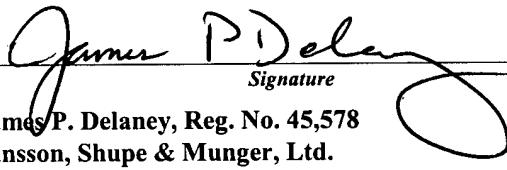
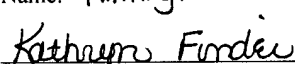


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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated October 21, 2002.

Claims 1-20 are pending. Claims 1-5, 9-12, 15 and 17-20 are rejected. Claims 6-8, 13-14 and 16 are objected to.

The application is amended as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 11-12 and 17-20.

Please amend claims 1-7 and 13-16 as follows.

Please add new claims 21-26 as follows.